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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF DII-EMERALD SPRINGS, L.L.C. FOR A  
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND  
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE WASTEWATER  
SERVICES.

DOCKET NO. WS-20794A-11-0140

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF DII-EMERALD SPRINGS, L.L.C. FOR  
APPROVAL OF RATES.

DOCKET NO. WS-20794A-11-0279

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF DOYLE THOMPSON FOR APPROVAL  
OF A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE  
AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE SEWER  
SERVICES.

DOCKET NO. SW-20851A-12-0226

**PROCEDURAL ORDER**

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

On January 10, 2013, a Procedural Order was issued in this consolidated matter scheduling a hearing to commence on April 2, 2013, and establishing other procedural requirements and deadlines. Among those were requirements for the Commission's Utilities Division ("Staff") to file a consolidated Staff Report by March 1, 2013, and for the other parties to file any objections to the consolidated Staff Report by March 15, 2013.

On February 28, 2013, Staff filed Staff's Request for an Extension of Time, stating that although Staff has been diligently processing the applications in this matter, Staff's severely constrained resources and existing workload make it necessary for Staff to request an additional seven days to complete and file the Staff Report. Staff also requested that the deadline to file any objections to the Staff Report likewise be extended by seven days. Staff did not, however, assert that Staff had communicated with the other parties regarding the requested extension.

Although the other parties to this matter have not had an opportunity to respond to Staff's Request, it is reasonable and appropriate to rule upon the Request at this time. This is true because the deadline for the Staff Report is already here, because the extension requested is not lengthy,

1 because Staff has requested a corresponding extension for the other parties, and because not ruling  
2 upon the request promptly could render the other parties uncertain as to the deadline for their  
3 responsive filings.

4 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the deadline for filing of the consolidated **Staff Report**  
5 is hereby extended to **March 8, 2013**.

6 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the deadline for parties to file any **objections to the**  
7 consolidated **Staff Report** is hereby extended to **March 22, 2013**.

8 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the remaining provisions of the Procedural Order of  
9 January 10, 2013, remain in effect.

10 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, amend,  
11 or waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at  
12 hearing.

13 DATED this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2013.

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16 SARAH N. HARPRING  
17 ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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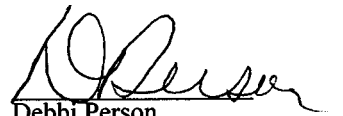
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